

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Buy Butternut each and every day.  
—82-4  
You will find the best bread in Butter Cup wrappers.  
—02-1f-e  
Mrs. Boardman spent the week end with friends near Ithaca.  
J. W. Blakely was in Detroit the first of the week on business.  
Glen and Dick Rockwell were in Mt. Pleasant on business Monday.  
H. S. Babcock was in Battle Creek on business the latter part of last week.  
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—78-1f.  
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E. C. Crandell was in Chicago the first of the week attending the furniture show.  
William A. Bahlke, city attorney, left yesterday for Lansing on a short business trip.  
Capt. Fales of the Grand Rapids recruiting office, was in Alma on business Saturday.  
Dr. E. G. Sluyter, osteopathic physician, State Savings Bank Building, Alma, both phones.  
—57-1f  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Murphy returned Saturday from a several days trip to Chicago.  
William E. Reynolds, city manager, was in Chicago for a few days last week on business.  
H. E. Reece, secretary-manager of the Alma Chamber of Commerce, was in Mt. Pleasant on business yesterday.  
I. S. Fink of Columbus was in the city on business with The Republic Motor Truck Company Inc., the first of the week.  
Frank E. Barnes and wife, returned last week from California, where they have been spending the past three months.  
There will be an all day session of the Gratiot County L. O. T. M. Association January 27 at St. Louis. All members are invited to attend.  
Mrs. J. J. Osborn, who has been in Bay City for the past six weeks caring for her sister who underwent a very serious operation, returned to her home in Alma Monday.  
The Alma College second team went to Mt. Pleasant Friday evening where the scrub basketball team met the Normal second team. They took a 16 to 12 defeat from the Teachers.  
An important meeting of the American Legion and Women's Auxiliary is to be held this evening at the city hall, at which time the resignation of H. E. Reece, as commander of the post, and the proposition of permanent quarters for the organizations, are to be taken up.

Dick Rockwell, who resigned his position at The Republic Motor Truck Company Inc., last week Tuesday, will leave this coming Monday with his father, H. L. Rockwell, for a business trip to Spokane, Wash. Enroute they will visit at Los Angeles and San Francisco for a few weeks.  
The inquest into the death of Chas. Greenway, who died in a local hospital on January 7, has been continued until Friday, January 21. The inquest which was called on January 7, was adjourned until last Friday, but the failure to secure a report regarding the stomach, which was sent to Ann Arbor, caused a continuance for another week.  
Rev. M. W. Duffey of the M. E. church gave an address on Character to the pupils of Alma High School Monday, that proved highly interesting. Numerous examples were given by Rev. Duffey in pointing home the thought that he desired to convey to the minds of the students. Some instrumental selections were given by the Shadkos that were well greeted.

Blaine King of Riverdale was an Elwell caller Wednesday evening.  
Sumner Hoxie of Detroit is visiting a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Leonard.  
Doris Slingluff and Alta Crowell of Alma High School spent the week end with their parents.  
**WEST PINE RIVER**  
Mrs. Burt Gee of Seville called on her son and family here last week.  
Mrs. and Mrs. Wm. Still visited their daughter in Pompeii last week.  
Mrs. Daniels is on the sick list.  
Little Viola Troop who was on the sick list week is better.  
Henry Crum and family spent Sunday at Henry Sandels near Elwell.  
Clarence Johnson spent last week in Flint visiting his sisters.  
Burt Granger and family of Alma spent Sunday at Bob Fleming's.  
Doris Bartley and Opal Clum attended the high school play given in Alma last Friday night.

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